



TENNESSEE

A C WHARTON, JR.  
MAYOR

January 22, 2013

The Honorable Shea Flinn, Chairman  
Personnel, Intergovernmental & Annexation Committee  
City Hall - Room 514  
Memphis, TN 38103

Dear Chairman Flinn:

Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

**Karen Sheeks-Williams**

be appointed to the Memphis Animal Shelter Advisory Board with a term  
expiring July 30, 2014.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,



A C Wharton  
Mayor

ACW/lar

c: Council Members



# City of Memphis

## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

### BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: KAREN SHEEKS-WILLIAMS Race White M ☐ F ☒

E-Mail Address: MS DOGS AND CATS @GMAIL.COM Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Profession/Employer: Host Mid South Dogs and Cats Radio Show / RETIRED Social Worker  
901.

Business Address: 4230 Elliston Rd Zip 38111 Phone: 901.4958

Education: BSW from Murray State University 1996

Name of Spouse: Bill "Cam" Williams Number of Children: 1

Home Address: 4230 Elliston Rd Phone: 901.743.1040

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38111

I certify that I am a resident of the City of Memphis (Unincorporated areas and surrounding counties are not considered). Yes ☒ or No ☐ If yes, how long? 2 yrs 4 mo

Professional Organization/Associations:

Other Organizations/Association:

Other Interests:

Published Author, Animal Advocacy

Signature Karen Sheeks-Williams Date 12/26/2012

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4230 Elliston Road  
Memphis, TN 38111  
(901) 503-5157

## KAREN SHEEKS

### ***Summary of Qualifications***

Retired Licensed Social Worker. Active in dog rescue with Chihuahua Rescue USA in Indiana. Rescue advocate since 1998. Experience with Department of Corrections in Kentucky and Indiana.

### ***Work Experience***

10/2011 to Present **Mid South Dogs and Cats Radio Show**  
**Host and Co-Owner** Memphis, TN  
Moderating and gathering stories from our community. Focus On education and services in our community affiliated with pets. Support and broadcasting assistance to shelters and rescues.

2008 to 2010 **Delphi Community Schools** Delphi, IN  
**Substitute Teacher**  
Classroom management and supervision, Completion of teacher Lesson plans, Accountability for students and school equipment, Safety and security for students, Creative teaching moments.

2008 to 2010 **Tippecanoe County Schools** Lafayette, IN  
**Substitute Teacher**

2000 – 2002 **Miami Correctional Facility** Bunker Hill, IN  
**Correctional Counselor**  
Managed a caseload of 102 – 204 medium security offenders. Organized housing and in-house jobs as well as education and Recreation. Completed timely reports to Administration and Judges. Completed pre-parole reports as well.

### ***Education***

2004 **Health Care Financing Administration**  
**Medical Billing Certification**

1992 – 1996 **Murray State University** Murray, KY  
Social Work major 134 hours

1978 – 1982 **Livingston Central High School** Smithland, KY  
General diploma

### ***Reference***

Available upon request.

## **ANIMAL SHELTER ADVISORY BOARD**

**7 Member Board**

**2 Year Term**

<b>Chancellor, Jeanne</b>	<b>M/W</b>	<b>07-30-12</b>	<b>2yr. Term</b>
<b>Clay, Jennifer</b>	<b>F/W</b>	<b>07-30-12</b>	<b>2yr. Term</b>
<b>Cox, John</b>	<b>M/W</b>	<b>07-30-12</b>	<b>2yr. Term</b>
<b>Madajczyk, Jill</b>	<b>F/W</b>	<b>07-30-13</b>	<b>2yr. Term</b>
<b>Siemer, G. Donald</b>	<b>M/W</b>	<b>07-30-12</b>	<b>2yr. Term</b>
<b>Tower, Stephen R.</b>	<b>M/W</b>	<b>07-30-12</b>	<b>2yr. Term</b>
<b>Vacant</b>		<b>07-30-10</b>	<b>2yr. Term</b>

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Dear Chairman Flinn:

Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

**Sharon Leicham**

be appointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Downtown Memphis Commission with a term expiring December 31, 2015.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,



A C Wharton  
Mayor

ACW/lar

c: Council Members



# City of Memphis

## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

### BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: Sharon Leicham Race Caucasian M ☐ F ☒

E-Mail Address: s\_leicham@yahoo.com Fax 901-521-9552

Profession/Employer: Retail Consultant and Writer Self Employed

Business Address: 580 South Main #303 Zip 38103 Phone: 901-521-9552

Education: BS University of Oregon, Graduate Studies University of Utah & Pacific Institute

Name of Spouse: N/A Number of Children: 3

Home Address: 587 South Front St. Phone: 901-233-0052

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38103

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### Professional Organization/Associations:

Outdoor Industries Women's Coalition

### Other Organizations/Association:

South Main Association, Downtown Neighborhood Association Board, Memphis Farmers Market Board, Memphis City Gardens Board, Memphis Heritage

### Other Interests:

My interests include promoting the growth and development of Downtown Memphis while enjoying all it has to offer. Growing healthy foods is a passion of mine. I like to get involved and give back however and whenever I can.

Signature Sharon Leicham Date 12/18/12

**Sharon Leicham**  
**587 South Front St.**  
**Memphis, TN 38103**  
**901-521-9552**  
**s leicham@yahoo.com**

Downtown Memphis is my home. I celebrate its successes, promote its character, and volunteer my time and energy because a healthy and prosperous Downtown is my responsibility.

### **Education**

- BS in Education, University of Oregon
- Graduate Study, University of Utah
- Graduate, Leadership Modesto, California
- Graduate, Pacific Institute, Seattle, Washington

### **Professional Experience**

- Teacher
- National Sales Manager, Royal Robbins Inc.
- Global Marketing Manager, Specialized Bicycle Components
- Director of Apparel, Sierra Designs
- Merchandising and Visuals Editor, Outdoor Retailer Magazine
- Merchandising Editor, Specialty Sports News
- Principal, Merchandising Hub online website
- Freelance Journalist, Speaker and Retail Consultant

### **Volunteer Experience**

- Secretary, South Main Association 2004
- President, South Main Association 2005-2007
- Board Advisor, South Main Association 2008-2009
- Co-Founder, Memphis Farmers Market 2005
- President, Memphis Farmers Market 2008
- Board Member, Memphis Farmers Market 2005 to present
- Founder and Board Member, Memphis City Gardens 2010 to present
- At Large Representative, Downtown Neighborhood Association 2011
- President-Elect, Downtown Neighborhood Association 2012

**MEMPHIS & SHELBY COUNTY  
DOWNTOWN MEMPHIS COMMISSION**

**20 Member Board**

**(5) Appointed by City Mayor**

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**3 Year Term**

Hendricks, Mark D. (City)	M/W	12-31-12	3yr. Term
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George Shadrui (City)	M/W	12-31-13	3yr. Term
Isaac W. Northern, Jr. (City)	M/B	12-31-12	3yr. Term
Alpha L. Lyons (City)	M/W	12-31-12	3yr. Term
George Little (City CAO)			
Bill Boyd (City Council Liaison)			

**Countylaw**

**Hagerman, Jennifer**

**Ernest, Strickland**

**Green, Edith Kelly**

**Gillis, Bobbi**

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Dear Chairman Flinn:

Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

**Alpha L. Lyons**

be reappointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Downtown Memphis Commission with a term expiring December 31, 2015.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,

A C Wharton  
Mayor

ACW/lar

c: Council Members



# City of Memphis

## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

### BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: (A) Alpha L. Lyons Race Caucasian M ☒ F ☐

E-Mail Address: alyons48@hotmail.com Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Profession/Employer: Interim CEO Memphis Symphony Orchestra

Business Address: 585 S. Mendenhall Rd. Zip 38117 Phone: 901 537 2511

Education: BA University Memphis

Name of Spouse: Janet Number of Children: 2

Home Address: 6609 Conifer Cove Phone: 901 494 2735

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38119

I certify that I am a resident of the City of Memphis (Unincorporated areas and surrounding counties are not considered). Yes ☒ or No ☐ If yes, how long? 64 years

Professional Organization/Associations:

BIO Attached

Other Organizations/Association:

Other Interests:

Signature Alpha L. Lyons Date 12/27/12

## **Alpha L. Lyons**

**Alpha (Al) L. Lyons is a lifelong Memphian. He graduated from the University of Memphis with a BBA in accounting and has a background in finance and psychology.**

**His business career started with First Tennessee Bank where he was in operations and audited banks for acquisition in the early 70's. He was one of the early employees of the Bodine Company in Collierville where he wrote the standards for the purchasing and materials departments and was CFO for nine years and President for 12 years. He retired in 2008 after helping to successfully negotiate the sale of the company to Philips Electronics. He continued to serve as a consultant until 2010 and is still called on for his input. He is currently the interim CEO of the Memphis Symphony and is a part owner in Bodine Real Estate Development, Bodine Real Estate Investments and BodineEtc Specialty Foods. He has successfully completed many AMA courses over the course of his career and is a graduate of the Memphis Leadership Academy Masters Program.**

**Al was Chairman of the Collierville Chamber of Commerce for 2010, where he has been actively involved in the government relations and economic development efforts since 2004. In 2009 he was Chairman of the Board of Memphis in May International Festival for the honored country of Chile. In addition, Al served as Interim Director of the Brooks Museum from 2007 to 2008 while on the search committee for a new director and was President of the Brooks Board of Trustees in 2010 & 2011. He has served on several corporate boards and is currently a member of the Riverfront Development Corporation, Memphis in May International Festival, Levitt Shell and Collierville Chamber of Commerce Boards and is serving as treasurer of the Downtown Memphis Commission Board. Previously he served on the non-profit boards for Ballet Memphis, RiverArts Fest, and Arts in the Park.**

**Al and his wife, Jan, have been involved in philanthropic giving for the last two decades and have two children, a son, Alpha, who is an investment analyst in Memphis and a daughter, Christine, who graduated December 2012 from the University of Colorado Boulder with a major in Psychology.**

**Al enjoys strategic planning, photography, biking, fly fishing, backpacking, travel, and reading.**

## Bio Alpha L. Lyons

Alpha (Al) L. Lyons is a life long Memphian. He graduated from the University of Memphis with a BBA in accounting and has a background in finance and psychology. He started his business career in banking with First Tennessee Bank where he was in operations and helped audit banks for acquisition. He was one of the early employees of the Bodine Company (now Philips Bodine Company) in Collierville where he was CFO for nine years and President for 12 years. He retired in 2008 after the company was sold, and since then has served in a consulting capacity for the company. He is currently a partner in Bodine Real Estate Development and BodineEtc Specialty Foods. He is also a graduate of the Leadership Academy Masters Program. Al is currently Chairman of the Collierville Chamber of Commerce where he has been actively involved in the government relations and economic development efforts since 2004. Al was 2009 Chairman of the Memphis in May International Festival for the honored country of Chile. In addition, Al served as Interim Director of the Brooks Museum from 2007 to 2008, and is currently serving as President of the Brooks Museum Board of Trustees. Al has served on several corporate boards and is currently a member of several other boards including Memphis in May, Ballet Memphis and the Levitt Shell and has served on such nonprofit boards as the Memphis Arts Festival, RiverArts Fest, and the Riverfront Development Corporation. Al and his wife, Jan, have been involved in philanthropic giving for the last two decades and have two children, a son, Alpha, who is finishing graduate school at Tulane University and a daughter, Christine, who is a senior at the University of Colorado Boulder.

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George Little (City CAO)			
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**Cooper, Barbara (Representative)**

## Riseling, Lois

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**From:** Christine Taylor <taylor@downtownmemphis.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 02, 2013 9:58 AM  
**To:** Riseling, Lois  
**Cc:** Paul Morris  
**Subject:** RE: Downtown Memphis Commission

### 2012 Attendance Record:

#### Downtown Memphis Commission (DMC) Board

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October
City										
Isaac Northern				X			X	X		
Al Lyons		X		X	X	X		X		

X – Present at meeting

*Christine Taylor*

Executive Assistant & Office Manager  
Downtown Memphis Commission  
114 North Main Street  
Memphis, TN 38103  
(901) 575-0563  
(901) 575-0541 fax  
[taylor@downtownmemphis.com](mailto:taylor@downtownmemphis.com)

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**Sent:** Thursday, December 27, 2012 2:14 PM  
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Christine keeps this information and is on vacation until after the new year. I've copied her here and am asking her to get this information to you, in the form attached, upon her return Wednesday. If you need it before then, let me know and I'll find it.

-Paul

**Paul Morris**  
**President**  
**Downtown Memphis Commission**  
114 N Main St. 1 Memphis, TN 38103  
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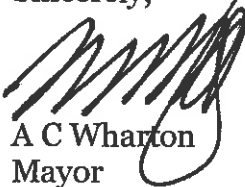
Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

**Isaac W. Northern, Jr.**

be reappointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Downtown Memphis Commission with a term expiring December 31, 2015.

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Sincerely,



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# City of Memphis

## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

### Downtown Memphis Commission

#### BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: Isaac W. Northern, Jr.

Race: Blk ☒ M ☐ F ☐

E-Mail Address: inorthern@northernincres.com

Fax: (901) 526-7171

Profession/Employer: Real Estate Management, Sales & Leasing / NORTHERN, INC. Real Estate Services

62 Union Avenue, Memphis, TN

Business Address:

Zip: 38103

Phone: (901) 526-7155

Education: BA Degree - Lane College, Jackson, TN; CPM Designation - Institute of Real Estate Mgmt.

Name of Spouse: Carol

Number of Children: 2

Home Address: 914 Twinkletown Rd.

Phone: (901) 351-0126

City: Memphis

State: TN

Zip: 38116

I certify that I am a resident of the City of Memphis (Unincorporated areas and surrounding counties are not considered). Yes ☒ or No ☐ If yes, how long? 30 years

#### Professional Organization/Associations:

Professional Real Estate Consultants  
Institute of Real Estate Management  
National Association of Realtors; Tennessee Association of Realtors; Memphis Area Association of Realtors  
National Association of Real Estate Brokers (NAREB)  
NARML

#### Other Organizations/Association:

#### Other Interests:

Family, Photography, Classic Cars

Signature

Date

12/19/2002



# **RÉSUMÉ**

## **NORTHERN, INC. /ISAAC W. NORTHERN, JR.**

**Isaac W. Northern, Jr. founded NORTHERN, INC. in 1982. At that time, the company's primary focus was property management. In 1990, a partnership was formed with Henry Turley, Jr. and the company's name was changed to HENRY TURLEY/NORTHERN, INC. The company's focus was broadened to include brokerage and development. In 1997, that partnership was dissolved and the name reverted back to NORTHERN, INC.**

**Since its formation, the company's management portfolio has included multi-family and single family properties as well as commercial and retail buildings. The company has also served as "Asset Manager" for approximately one thousand six hundred (1,600) apartment units.**

**In addition to the above, the company worked for three years with Memphis City Schools in the selection and acquisition of sites for new schools as part of an aggressive capital improvements program. Previously, NORTHERN, INC., in joint venture with The Henry Turley Co. and Beltz Investco was responsible for the assimilation and acquisition of approximately six hundred (600) infill parcels within a one hundred (100) block area in the neighborhood revitalization project called "Uptown Memphis".**

**Some of the clients served include:**

- **Memphis City Schools**
- **Memphis Housing Authority**
- **The U.S. Dept of H.U.D.**
- **Supreme Mortgage Co.**
- **Tri-State Bank of Memphis**
- **Universal Life Insurance Co.**
- **The Church of God in Christ – National Properties Division**
- **The Christian Methodist Episcopal Church**
- **The African Methodist Episcopal Church**
- **The National Caucus and Center for The Black Aged**
- **Various private partnerships**

**Isaac W. Northern Jr., is active in community affairs and has served on numerous local boards. He holds the "Certified Property Manager" designation and has served as President of the Memphis Chapter of the Institute of Real Estate Management, the Memphis Area Association of Realtors and is currently vice Chairman of the Tennessee Real Estate Commission. He also serves on the Revolving Loan Fund Committee for the Memphis Area Association of Governments and is Secretary of the Board of Directors of Leadership Memphis.**

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Dear Chairman Flinn:

Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

**John H. McCormick**

be reappointed to Memphis and Shelby County Cross Connection  
with a term expiring December 31, 2015.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,

  
A C Wharton  
Mayor

ACW/lar

c: Council Members



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## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

Cross Connection  
BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: John H. McCormick Race White M ☒ F ☐

E-Mail Address: johnhmcc2004@yahoo.com Fax:       

Profession/Employer: Retired Naval Officer/U.S. Navy  
" College Administrator / State of TN

Business Address: Retired Zip:        Phone:       

Education: B.A. English, Seton Hall U., South Orange, NJ  
Graduate, Armed Forces Staff College, Norfolk, VA

Name of Spouse: Eleanor Ann McCormick Number of Children: 3

Home Address: 3071 Dumbarton Rd Phone: 901-353-5427  
901-288-7250  
City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38128-5107

I certify that I am a resident of the City of Memphis (Unincorporated areas and surrounding counties are not considered). Yes ☒ or No ☐ If yes, how long? 38 years

### Professional Organization/Associations:

Military Officers Association of America (MOAA)  
U.S. Naval Institute, Marine Memorial Club

### Other Organizations/Association:

President, Scenic Hills Neighborhood Association  
Treasurer, " " planning Committee

### Other Interests:

Fishing, boating, NFL + college football, travel,  
community activist

Signature John H. McCormick Date 1/3/13

## Attendance Records

## Memphis & Shelby County Cross Connection Board

### Board/Commission

**From** 10/29/10 **to** 12/7/12 **Total No. of Meetings** 11

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Dear Chairman Flinn:

Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

**Monica N. Wharton**

be appointed to the Memphis Youth Guidance Commission with a term  
expiring December 31, 2015.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,

A C Wharton  
Mayor

ACW/lar

c: Council Members



# City of Memphis

## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

Youth Guidance Commission

BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: Monica N. Wharton

Race African Am ☐ M ☒ F

E-Mail Address: mwharton@the-med.org

Fax 545-8194

Profession/Employer: Attorney/Regional Medical Center at Memphis,  
currently serves as Sr. VP/General Counsel  
877 Jefferson Avenue

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip 38103 Phone: 545-8223

Education: Hampton Univ., B.A. in English with Honors; William and Mary Law School, J.D.

Name of Spouse: Andre C. Wharton

Number of Children: 3

Home Address: 46 Belleair Drive

Phone: 726-1436

City: Memphis

State: TN

Zip: 38104

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Professional Organization/Associations:

Tennessee Bar Association, Executive Council (Health Law Section)

Memphis Bar Association, Association of Health Care Lawyers, Facing History & Ourselves Board Member

Other Organizations/Association:

Other Interests:

Working with students.

Signature

*Monica N. Wharton*

Date

1/14/13



Ms. Wharton, a native of New Jersey, holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from Hampton University, where she graduated with Honors and a *Juris Doctor* degree from William & Mary School of Law. While in Law School, Ms. Wharton was selected for the honorary membership of the Order of Barristers where she was also awarded the Dean's Certificate for her outstanding service to the school. After law school, Ms. Wharton was invited to be the law clerk for the United States District Court for the Western District of Virginia. Subsequently, she was an attorney at the law firm of Ogletree Deakins, the third largest employment and labor defense firm in the U.S.

Ms. Wharton moved to Memphis in 2004 and joined the law firm of Glankler Brown, PLLC, a well respected legal firm in Memphis. At Glankler Brown, Ms. Wharton practiced extensively in the Circuit, Chancery and Federal Court systems. Ms. Wharton was hired as The MED's Senior Vice-President of Legal Affairs and General Counsel in October of 2008. In this role, Ms. Wharton serves as the chief legal counsel for the hospital and manages the risk management and legal affairs department.

Ms. Wharton has served as a member of the Board of Directors for the Memphis and Shelby County Bar Association where she also served on the Executive Committee, the Association of Women Attorneys, The Southern Avenue Charter School, and The Women's Foundation, Grants Committee. Currently, she is a board member of The Facing History and Ourselves Organization. Ms. Wharton has also participated in the Memphis Bar Association Leadership Forum and is a graduate of the Tennessee Bar Association Leadership Program. Ms. Wharton is currently licensed to practice law in the States of North Carolina and Tennessee.

Ms. Wharton is a member of The Links, Inc, Memphis Chapter; and has been recognized by the Tri-State Defender as a "Woman of Excellence" and by The Memphis Business Journal as one of the Top 40 under 40 in the Memphis Community. In 2012, Ms. Wharton was appointed by Governor Bill Haslam as a Special Justice for the Tennessee Supreme Court. Ms. Wharton also became a fellow for the Memphis Bar Association. Ms. Wharton enjoys volunteering her time with various schools and non-profits in the Memphis community.

She is married to Attorney Andre' C. Wharton and they have three sons, Andrew, Arthur and Abram.

**YOUTH GUIDANCE COMMISSION  
21 Member Board  
3 Year Term**

Bailey, Adrienne L.	F/B	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Bandele, Ekundayo	M/B	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Beard, Cheryl J.	F/B	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Bibbs, Carolyn D.	F/B	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Bradshaw, Kenya	F/B	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Greene, Althea E.	F/B	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Greenstein, Micah D.	M/W	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Ham, Cynthia	F/W	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Hannah, Sandra	F/W	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Hart, Tomeka R.	F/B	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Lovelace, John D.	M/B	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Rubenstein, Wain	M/W	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Spurlock, Katy	F/W	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Walker, Regina D.	F/B	12-31-15	3yr. Term
Wheeler, Lisa N.	M/W	12-31-15	3yr. Term